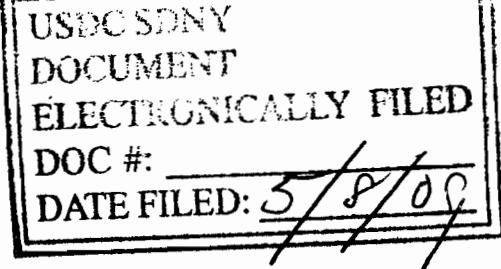


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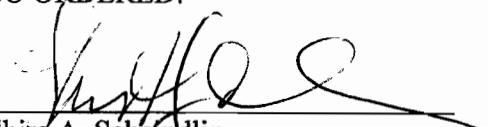
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SHIRA A. SCHEINDLIN, U.S.D.J.:

All pretrial deadlines set forth in prior Case Management Orders for the *City of New York* case are hereby extended by thirty (30) days for all defendants except for the following companies and related entities that are also defendants in the *City of New York* case: ExxonMobil Corporation, Crown Central Petroleum Corporation, Total Petrochemicals USA Inc., and Lyondell Chemical Company.

SO ORDERED:



Shira A. Scheindlin
U.S.D.J.

Dated: New York, New York
May 7 2009